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**ACTIVATORS (TRIKA1 AND TRIKA2)** 

AND THEIR USE AS ANTI-INFLAMMATORY TARGETS

# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES DATED JUNE 26, 2002

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This paper is submitted in response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated June 26, 2002 for which the due date is August 26, 2002.

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Submitted herewith is a Statement As Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f); paper copy of sequence listing and computer readable form (CRF) which comply with requirements for patent applications containing nucleotide sequence and/or amino acid sequence disclosures.

Applicants believe that the attached documents fully responds to the Notice to Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures for this application.

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Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;
- (2) Response to Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures Dated June 26, 2002;
- (3) Statement as Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f); Paper Copy of Sequence Listing; Computer Readable Form (CRF); and
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